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RESPONSE TO SPECIES ELECTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

In response to the Species Election requirement mailed January 25, 2006, Applicants provisionally elect Species 1 and Sub-Species, with traverse. Claims 1-10, 14-16, 18-30 and 34 are believed to read on the elected species and sub-species.

The Examiner is requested to reconsider the species election requirement since all species are sufficiently related to each other that an undue burden would not be placed upon the Examiner by maintaining all of them in a single application. MPEP § 803

Favorable consideration of this application is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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